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MEMORANDUM FOR : Project Director

SUBJECT : Sampler and Weather Instrumentation

1. The latest information we have regarding our sampler is that [] of Lockheed called on 21 June to say that a proposal has been forwarded to this office from Lockheed. Through their oversight they failed to get this proposal in on time. Preliminary estimates indicate four units can be built in 3 or 4 months after firm go-ahead from us. Apparently 500 hours of engineering details are required prior to cutting of metal. [] cleared personnel can assist us a great deal in getting this sampler properly finalized and in the desired end results.

2. On the second set of weather instruments, Air Force has already authorized \$100,000 to WADC for development of the Mark-2 meteorological packet. [] says he will personally follow with [] to be sure this project doesn't bog down. I would guess that this instrumentation would not be ready until around Christmas, based on my experience of the way WADC moves.

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Deputy Project Director

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